

three years from now. They have to have the ability to pay those loans back, and Senator Haberman is absolutely right. But by the same token, if you are not going to get that affordable credit this year, you are not going to be in business a couple years from now or next year to be able to pay those loans back. That's what the issue is right now before us. The issue is, are we going to try to do something to help those people that Senator Schmit talked about earlier that are faced with the decision right now, this spring, within the next few weeks as to whether or not they are still going to be on their land or not. That is the issue before us today. We can deal with the other issue at another time and I suggest that we probably will and should. I only want to point out that simply because Senator Beutler and my names are on this resolution and both of us happen to have a "D" after our name, and in my case it is a little "d", that does not mean that this is a partisan issue and I would hope that nobody would take it as such. It doesn't make any difference to me what initial was after the President's name either. If my people, my way of life, our entire state's economy is hanging in the balance, I think each of us have the right, yes, and the duty to stand up and try to stop whatever actions are taking place or try to reverse those actions. That is what LR 58 is all about. And I don't happen to think that the language is inflammatory at all. All we are doing is urging him to reconsider, urging him to reconsider his threatened veto. I don't consider that to be overly strong. I don't consider it to be inflammatory. But I do consider it to be consistent with the actions that this Legislature and other states put forth in our trek to Washington last week. We went back there recognizing there were two problems, the crisis affecting agriculture today and then the problem as to how we are going to get over this crisis in the future. This is an attempt to try to deal with that crisis today. This is an attempt on our part to try to follow through with our actions and I urge you to adopt LR 58. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The motion is to adopt LR 58. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. We are voting now on the adoption of LR 58. The Chair will allow 15 seconds to record your votes on the adoption of LR 58. If you wish to vote aye or nay on the resolution, please do so. Time is expired. Senator Smith, do you wish to vote? Go ahead and push the button. The Clerk will record the vote. Senator